



Creative Aging Art Exhibit



Albrecht-Kemper Museum of Art

Saturday, May 3

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ST. JOSEPH PUBLIC LIBRARY'S 12TH ANNUAL

TRIVIA NIGHT

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SATURDAY, APRIL 26



Drawn to the Library

National Library
Week

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CARNEGIE LIBRARY SPRING OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, April 26
12 - 4 p.m.

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St. Joseph Public Library's Mission, Vision & Values:

Mission

The St. Joseph Public Library provides our community physical and virtual gathering spaces to access information, education, and recreation.

Vision

The St. Joseph Public Library offers our community a window to the past and a gateway to the future.

Values

The St. Joseph Public Library values:

ACCOUNTABILITY. We are dedicated to delivering on our commitments and the sound stewardship of our taxpayer dollars.

EXCELLENCE. We are courteous professionals who strive to create extraordinary experiences for our community.

EQUALITY. We are free and open to all people and ideas. We treat everyone with respect and compassion.

INNOVATION. We are always learning. We continually explore new ways of doing things better and doing better things.

PASSION. We love the library, we love St. Joseph, and we love what we do.

TEAMWORK. We build connections and celebrate the diversity of our experiences.

Visit us online at sjpl.lib.mo.us

Access the:

- Online Card Catalog
- Kids & Teen Pages
- Reference Page
- Calendar of Events
- Multiple Databases (*including business, legal forms, genealogy research, homework help, practice exams, language learning and more!*)
- Digital Archives
- Download Free eBooks, eMagazines, and eAudiobooks
- Sign up for Library Newsletters and Program Emails

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All programs subject to change due to weather, lack of sign-up, etc. Check the online calendar for the most up-to-date information. Attendance at St. Joseph Public Library programs, events or public spaces constitutes consent to be photographed for use in print and/or electronic publicity for SJPL. If you do not want us to use a photo of you or your child, please tell the library staff member coordinating the event PRIOR to the program.

ShelfLife is published five times a year by the St. Joseph Public Library. Issues: Feb-Mar, Apr-May, Jun-Aug, Sept-Oct, and Nov-Jan.

Welcome to the latest edition of the library's newsletter. As you scroll or thumb through, you'll see that we have lots of fun and enriching programs in store for you during April and May.

We are celebrating National Library Week April 6 – 12. This year's theme is "Drawn to the Library", and we invite you to visit the library that week to check out a book, attend a program, or just to stop by and say hello! Everyone who visits the library during National Library Week can enter a prize drawing. It's our way of saying we appreciate you.

SJPL has been around since 1890, and we're as vital today to St. Joseph as we were 135 years ago. Many people equate the library with children's books and programs, and they're not wrong, but that's not the full story. I often hear, "Oh, I loved the library as a child." We do offer lots of children's books and children's programs. From early literacy to science related craft programs, we aim to educate and entertain.

The library has lots to offer adults too. It's no secret all is not well in the United States and loneliness and a feeling of being disconnected from each other are common problems adults are facing. SJPL helps alleviate both through our programming for adults. People gather at the library and make new friends while watching movies, crafting, improving their technology skills, learning new recipes, practicing Spanish, or talking about books. These are just a few of the programs we regularly offer. We don't charge to attend these programs, they are paid for by your local taxes, the SJPL Friends, SJPL Foundation, or grant funding.

If you haven't been to the library recently, pick out a program to attend and come on down. Visit us during National Library Week and you could even win a prize. Pick up a book or two while you are here!

Come visit and see for yourself what the St. Joseph Public Library has to offer you.



Mary Beth Revels
Director

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Earl May Garden Center
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Holiday Closings

Sunday,
April 20

Easter

Monday,
May 26

Memorial
Day

ST. JOSEPH PUBLIC LIBRARY'S 12TH ANNUAL

TRIVIA NIGHT

EMCEE: WILL STUCK

SATURDAY, APRIL 26

Fairview Golf Course Banquet Room
3302 Pacific St.

\$90 PER TABLE TEAMS OF 6

Doors open at 7:15 p.m., first question read at 7:30 p.m.
Drinks and grill style food available for purchase.

To reserve your table with pre-payment, contact Jessica Poet at 816-236-2107

COME READ WITH OUR
BOOK BUDDIES!



EAST HILLS LIBRARY
1ST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH
10:30 A.M. - 12 P.M.

EAST HILLS LIBRARY
LEGO CLUB
3RD THURSDAYS
FOR AGES 6 AND UP.

@ 6 p.m.



CARNEGIE LIBRARY
CRAFTERNOON

SATURDAY | **MAY 3** | 1:00PM

PAINT A BIRDHOUSE AND DO
SPRING-RELATED STICKER
CRAFTS.

FOR KIDS OF ALL AGES.



All Ages

WICKED

SING-ALONG



EAST HILLS LIBRARY
SUNDAY, APRIL 6
2 P.M.

FOR ALL AGES
REGISTRATION REQUIRED



Carnegie

Wacky Wednesday Take & Make Crafts

Featuring fun crafts that may be wacky for the time of year.

Carnegie Library

Wednesdays

All Day

April & May

Downtown

Storytime & Easter Egg Hunt

Join us for an Easter Storytime and hunt for eggs in the Children's Department. Bring your own basket.

This program is best for children ages 2 - 7.

Downtown Library

Friday, April 18

11 a.m.

Pop-Tart Peeps House - R

Creating Pop-Tart houses is a fun and imaginative activity for celebrating the Spring.

Downtown Library

Monday, April 21

1 p.m.

Children's programming intended for ages 6-12 unless otherwise noted.

Earth Day Fun - R

Let's celebrate Earth Day by planting with biodegradable peat pots creating an eco-friendly craft.

Downtown Library

Tuesday, April 22

5 p.m.

Mother's Day Craft - R

Make the mother figure in your life smile by creating beautiful crafty flowers in a take-home reusable vase.

Downtown Library

Wednesday, May 7

4:30 p.m.

Straw Rockets

Create your very own straw rocket. Get ready to launch your rocket and watch it fly!

Downtown Library

Monday, May 12

4 p.m.

CD Wind Spinners - R

Join us in creating CD wind spinners for beautiful outdoor decorations.

Downtown Library

Friday, May 23

10 a.m.

Right: Everyone had a blast at the I.T.P. (Infant, Toddler, Preschooler) Prom

Washington Park

Tricky Tuesday!

Washington Park Library

4 p.m.

Tuesday, April 1 April Fool's Slime

Tuesday, April 8 Rain Cloud Craft

Tuesday, April 15 Fuzzy Sock Bunnies

Tuesday, April 22 Rainbow & Earth Day Craft

Tuesday, April 29 Hot Air Balloon Craft

Tuesday, May 6 Mother's Day Gift

Tuesday, May 13 Baby Turtle Craft

Tuesday, May 20 Microphone Craft & Karaoke

Tuesday, May 27 Butterfly Craft

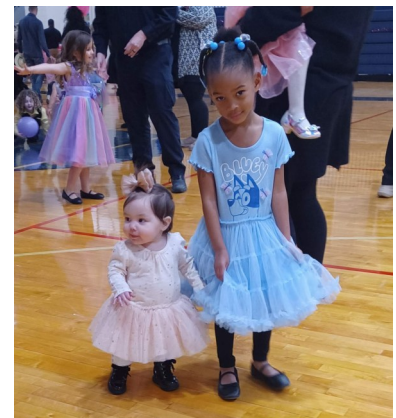
Little Movers & Groovers

Get ready to sing, dance, and play! This fun-filled program is designed for kids ages 0 - 6 to explore music, movement, and rhythm through songs, instruments, and active play.

Washington Park Library

Wednesday, May 14

10 a.m.



Children & Parents



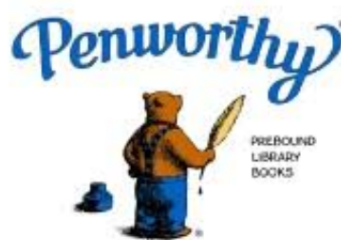
SPRING STORYTIMES

Mondays 10 a.m. Feb. 17 – Apr. 28 Storytime 0 – 6 year-olds Washington Park Library	Tuesdays 10 a.m. Feb. 11 – Apr. 29 Preschool Storytime 3 – 6 year-olds East Hills Library	Wednesdays 10 a.m. Feb. 12 – Apr. 30 Toddler Storytime 18 months – 3 year-olds East Hills Library	Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. Feb. 5 – Apr. 30 Storytime 0 – 6 year-olds Carnegie Library	Thursdays 10:30 a.m. Feb. 6 – Apr. 24 Storytime 0 – 6 year-olds Downtown Library	Fridays 10 a.m. Feb. 14 – May 2 Baby & Me Playgroup birth – 18 months East Hills Library
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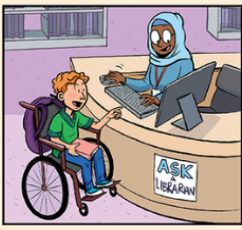


All St. Joseph Public libraries have AWE Learning computers available for children to use. AWE Learning computers are Early Literacy Stations, with programming to engage children in a safe and fun way.

Dig deep into science, technology, engineering, arts, and math with our Penworthy STEAM Kits To Go! The kits integrate high-interest books with interactive resources for family fun and learning. Each library has a variety of kits appropriate for various ages. Available to check out with a library card.



STEAM Kits To Go!



Drawn to the Library

National Library Week

April 6-12, 2025

ALA
American Library Association

Library Champions
Reading & Learning for All

MSCHOLASTIC

National Library Week is an annual celebration highlighting the valuable role libraries, librarians, and library workers play in transforming lives and strengthening our communities.

Visit any St. Joseph Public Library location to see what your library has to offer or visit sjpl.lib.mo.us to explore the eMedia and databases you can access from anywhere with your library card.

While you are at the library, be sure to enter our drawing to win a prize:

Babies - 6 year-olds: book and plush toy

7 - 17 year-olds: \$25 Visa gift card

18 and over: \$25 Visa gift card

COLOR OUR WORLD

SUMMER READING KICK-OFF PARTY

WASHINGTON PARK LIBRARY

All Ages Welcome

Saturday, May 31

10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

PETTING ZOO



FREE KONA ICE



CARNIVAL GAMES



New this year: Exclusive VIP area for teens!

Downtown

Banana Bread Baking - R

Is there any food better than a fresh, warm piece of banana bread? Learn how to make your very own at home.

Downtown Library

Wednesday, April 16 5 p.m.

Teen After Hours: Eggstreme Egg Hunt - R

Join us after hours for an Egg Hunt with a touch of eggcitement!

Downtown Library

Friday, April 18 6 p.m.

Seed Bombs - R

It's almost earth day and spring is springing, so let's plant flowers in a super fun way! Seed bombs are made by combining simple ingredients like shredded paper with flower seeds. Moistened, rolled into balls, and allowed to dry, they later are tossed into the yard to grow.

Downtown Library

Monday, April 21 4:45 p.m.

Teens Taste: Terrible TikTok Trends - R

Have you ever seen a food combination on TikTok that looks terrible, but the poster swears it tastes delicious? Well, let's try some of these out. Are they tasty or nasty? You decide.

Downtown Library

Friday, May 9 4 p.m.

Teen programming is intended for ages 12-18.

Teens Taste: Different Lay's Flavors - R

There are over 200 flavors of Lay's chips. Can you identify the ones that we have picked out? Try your hand at guessing which flavor is which!

Downtown Library

Friday, May 16 4 p.m.

Teens Taste: Foreign Foods - Thailand - R

Learn a little bit about the history of Thai cuisine and eat some dishes that are hopefully new to you!

Downtown Library

Friday, May 23 12:30 p.m.

Terrarium Building - R

Learn how to construct and care for your own terrariums using natural materials. Glass jars, soil, moss, stones and other materials are provided. However, participants are welcome to bring their own jars and glassware if they prefer.

Downtown Library

Wednesday, May 28 4 p.m.

East Hills

Teen Movie Night: Labyrinth - R

We'll have pizza and popcorn and watch the 80's classic Labyrinth starring David Bowie!

Labyrinth, 1986, 101 Minutes, Rated PG.

East Hills Library

Thursday, May 1 5:30 p.m.

Washington Park

Sew What? Clothing Embroidery - R

Learn how to embroider your own designs onto clothing in this hands-on workshop - no experience needed! Bring a piece of clothing from home, and we'll provide the supplies, patterns, and guidance to help you create a unique, personalized look.

Washington Park Library

Thursday, April 3 3 p.m.

Slay Crochet - Teen Crochet Club - R

Ready to stitch, slay, and create? Join us for Slay Crochet, a teen crochet club. We'll provide all the materials and teach you the basics, so whether you're a total newbie or a crochet pro, you'll leave with a handmade plushie and some new skills.

In April, we'll make amigurumi plush chicks and in May, we'll make amigurumi cherries.

Washington Park Library

Thursdays, Apr. 10 & May 8 5:30 p.m.

Teen Bingo

Ready to test your luck and win some awesome prizes? Join us and win snacks, stickers, keychains, and more!

Washington Park Library

Thursday, April 24 3 p.m.

Thursday, May 22 5 p.m.



BookTok TBR - Teen Book Club

Washington Park Thursdays, April 17 & May 15 @ 3 p.m.

Love books but hate assigned reading? Join the BookTok TBR Teen Book Club at Washington Park Library, where we dive into the trendiest, most-hyped books and share our personal must-reads! No assigned books—just bring what you're reading, swap recommendations, and gush over your latest favorites.

EMATERIALS

Did you know your library card gives you access to more than just Hoopla?!

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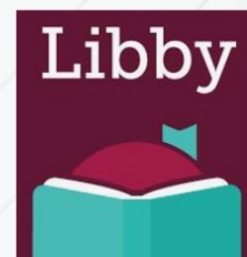
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Missouri Libraries to Go on Libby

Offers eBooks, eAudiobooks, and eMagazines, along with a variety of add-ons like Craftsy, Great Courses, Indie Flix, and Qello Concerts. To use the Libby App, download from the Apple or Google store and select “Missouri Libraries 2Go” as the library – then select St. Joseph Public Library.



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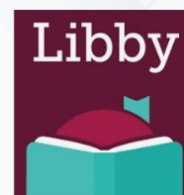
Great for eBooks and eAudiobooks. Download the app from the Apple or Google store or access on your computer. Search for our library as “St Joseph Public Library” (no period after St).

USE THESE APPS TO STREAM FILM, MUSIC, AND TV:



Kanopy

Kanopy is a video streaming service for movies, documentaries, foreign films, classic cinema, and independent films.

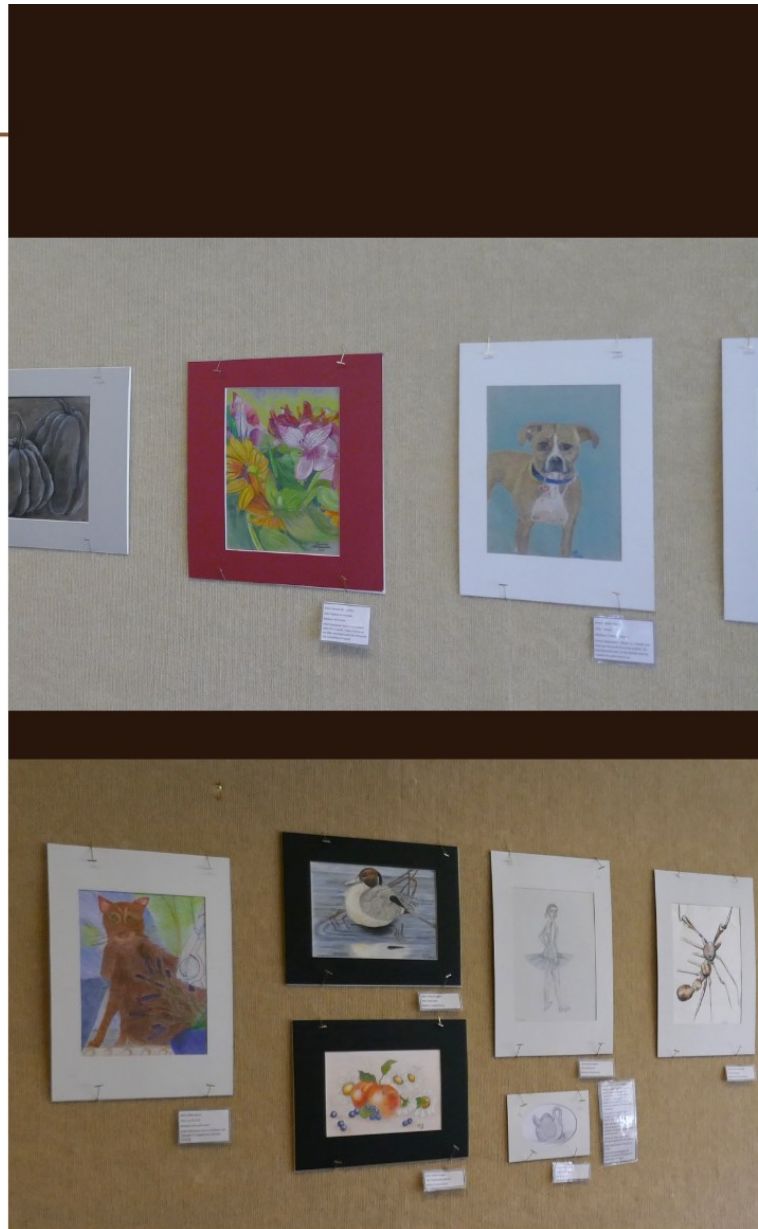


Video streaming can also be done through Libby (see above).

LIFETIME ARTS CREATIVE AGING

The St. Joseph Public Library has been delighted to offer creative aging art classes for our older library patrons. Co-founder of Lifetime Arts, Maura O'Malley, says, "Creative aging programs honor older adults as creative and social learners and help shift the narrative about growing older away from the negative view to one of optimism, engagement in community, and joy."

Organized by programming librarian Elizabeth Murray, both the Creative Aging Watercolor Class and the Drawing Observationally class are taught by professional teaching artist Annie Corrington, owner of Art Attack Studio. These 8 week classes started with the basics and build on the skills learned, culminating in a final piece to be displayed in a gallery exhibition.



Creative Aging Art Exhibit

presented by the students of
St. Joseph Public Library's 'Creative Aging' Watercolor Classes.

Saturday, May 3
2 - 3:30 p.m.

Albrecht-Kemper Museum of Art
2818 Frederick Ave., St. Joseph, MO 64506

Light refreshments will be provided.

*R.S.V.P. by May 1 by calling East Hills Library at 816-236-2136
or register on the library calendar.*

Advancing Creative Aging Through State Library Leadership Initiative is a joint initiative of Califa Group, Wyoming State Library, Missouri State Library, and Lifetime Arts. It was made possible in part by the Institute of Museum and Library Services Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Grant.

Carnegie

Coffee & Crafts

Join us as we sip some coffee and paint bricks to look like books.

Carnegie Library

Saturday, April 19 10:30 a.m.

Tea Time with Jenny

Bring your own craft (crochet, cross-stitch, knitting, etc.) to work on while sipping tea.

Carnegie Library

Saturday, May 10 10:30 a.m.

Downtown

Community Blood Drive

Make an appointment or drop in between 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. to donate blood and be a champion for your community.

Downtown Library

Friday, April 11 11 a.m.

The Vegetarian Snacker - R

This program will show you how to make delicious snacks using quinoa and veggies. Note: we will also use eggs and cheese.

Downtown Library

Thursday, April 17 5:30 p.m.

Classically Speaking: Henry VIII & His Six Wives

Dr. Kim Schutte will present the story of the six women and the king who married them all: "divorced, beheaded, died; divorced, beheaded, survived."

Downtown Library

Saturday, April 19 1 p.m.

Spanish Club for Adults

Practice Spanish in a judgment-free setting.

Downtown Library

Mondays 6 p.m.
April 21 & May 12

The Beauty Around Central Mexico with Tracy Svec

Come see pictures and videos of hibernating monarch butterflies, beautiful tropical plants, and gorgeous local architecture as Master Gardener Tracy Svec takes you on a virtual journey of her once in a lifetime trip to central Mexico where you will learn about the inspiring Mexican culture.

Downtown Library

Saturday, May 3 11 a.m.

True Crime Time: Pickton Chronicles of Terror

When a killer's victims may number anywhere from 6-32, you know the

story is going to be a wild ride. Come hear Evelyn tell us all the gory details.

Downtown Library

Thursday, May 15 6 p.m.

Classically Speaking: Technological Innovations in Weaponry Leading into World War I

Dr. Dan Trifan explores the remarkable technological innovations in weaponry of the second half of the 19th century, leading into the "industrial warfare" of WWI and the stalemate of trench warfare.

Downtown Library

Saturday, May 24 1 p.m.

Terrarium Building - R

Learn how to construct and care for your own terrariums using natural materials.

Glass jars, soil, moss, stones and other materials are provided. However, participants are welcome to bring their own jars and glassware if they prefer.

Downtown Library

Wednesday, May 28 4 p.m.

East Hills

Needle Felted Spring Bunny

Join expert fiber artist, Sandra, to make an adorable spring bunny using wool roving and a felting needle. Participants should bring an old towel or piece of foam to use as a felting mat. No registration required, but supplies are limited.

East Hills Library

Saturday, April 5 1 p.m.

Raised Bed Gardening - R

Dr. Todd Higgins, MU Extension Field Specialist in Horticulture, will lead this workshop that discusses the art and science of constructing, filling, and gardening in raised beds.

East Hills Library

Monday, April 14 5:30 p.m.

Adults

CARNEGIE LIBRARY SPRING OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, April 26
12 - 4 p.m.

Special tea blend served by
Alchemy Tea Co., while supplies last.
All ages welcome.

316 Massachusetts St.

Bonsai: An Introduction and How-to - R

Bonsai means “planted in a shallow tray”. Learn the history of this ancient art and how to care for one in two presentations by Bonsai teacher, Kathy Schlesinger.

East Hills Library

Saturday, April 19 10 a.m.
Saturday, April 26 1 p.m.

Bingo Night

Join us for a fun-filled night of Bingo! Will you get the lucky numbers and win a prize?

East Hills Library

Mondays 6 p.m.
April 21 & May 19

The Holocaust by Bullets

Ms. Brooke Rich will share the story of how one 7-year-old boy survived the Holocaust on his own and the connection he has to St. Joseph.

East Hills Library

Thursday, April 24 6 p.m.

Casual Commander Club

This is a club for all those who love Magic the Gathering. Bring your own Magic the Gathering commander format* deck to battle and destroy your friends and strangers. In this casual, multiplayer format, you choose a legendary creature to serve as your commander and build the rest of your deck around their color identity and unique abilities.

*The deck must have 100 cards, including your commander, and power level 8 and under decks recommended. Time to destroy your enemies!

East Hills Library

Thursdays 6 - 8 p.m.
April 24 & May 29



Tres Leches Mini Cakes - R

Enjoy learning to make the scrumptious Latin American treat Tres Leches Cake. We will go step by step and you will leave with a mini cake to take home.

East Hills Library

Monday, May 5 5:30 p.m.

Plant Swap

Do you have a plethora of plants? Are you looking for something new for your garden, indoor or out? Plant parents can bring plants, bulbs, seeds, cuttings, plant starts, planters and/or pots you want to rehome. Then peruse the tables to leave with something new to you! Please be sure to label your offerings and have them in containers that you are ready to part with.

East Hills Library

Saturday, May 10 11 a.m.

Bucket Gardening - R

Dr. Todd Higgins, MU Extension Field Specialist in Horticulture, will discuss how to create a vegetable or flower garden for small spaces and yards with no room for a garden. Participants will plant a bucket with either seed or a plant to take home with them.

East Hills Library

Monday, May 12 5:30 p.m.

Washington Park

Afternoon Bingo

Join us for a fun-filled afternoon of bingo at Washington Park Library! Try your luck, enjoy great company, and play for a chance to win exciting prizes.

Washington Park Library

Fridays 2 p.m.
April 4 & May 2

Tech Help Drop-In

Struggling with your smartphone? Confused by your tablet? Need help setting up an email, using social media, or navigating library eBooks? Drop by

our Tech Help session—no appointment needed! Our friendly staff will be available to answer your questions and provide one-on-one assistance.

Washington Park Library

Friday, April 11 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Paint-by-Number & Sip

Join us for a Paint-by-Number & Sip event, where you can enjoy a stress-free painting experience while sipping on refreshments. No painting experience needed—just follow the numbers and enjoy the process. All supplies provided.

Washington Park Library

Friday, April 18 1 p.m.

Pop Culture Trivia Night

Put your knowledge of movies, music, TV, and more to the test at our Pop Culture Trivia Night! Join us for a fun evening of brain-teasing questions, friendly competition, and awesome prizes.

Washington Park Library

Tuesday, May 6 5:30 p.m.

Stacks & Snacks - Senior Social Hour

Join us for Stacks & Snacks—a casual social hour just for seniors!

Washington Park Library

Friday, May 16 2 p.m.

Puzzle Swap

Bring your gently used jigsaw puzzles and exchange them for new challenges at our Puzzle Swap event!

Washington Park Library

Friday, May 23 10 a.m.

Sparkle & Sip - Diamond Painting - R

Enjoy a laid-back crafting session while working on dazzling diamond paintings, all with a warm cup of coffee or tea in hand. All materials provided.

Washington Park Library

Thursday, May 29 5 p.m.

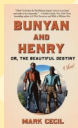


Downtown Library Book Club



The Lost Apothecary

By Sarah Penner
Monday, April 28
6:30 p.m.



Bunyan and Henry: Or, the Beautiful Destiny

By Mark Cecil
Monday, May 19
6:30 p.m.



Mansfield Park

By Jane Austen
Saturday, April 19
4 p.m.



A Sea of Unspoken Things

By Adrienne Young
Saturday, May 17
4 p.m.

East Hills Library Book Club



Confessions

By Kanae Minato
Tuesday, April 15
10 a.m.



The Confidant

By Hélène Grémillon
Tuesday, May 20
10 a.m.

Washington Park BYOBook Club

Thursdays, April 3 & May 1 @ 2 p.m.

BYOB: Bring your own books! If you like to talk about books you are reading, join us for an informal discussion about what you have been reading. Diana will have a show and tell about new and exciting books you can check out from the library.

Final Girl Book Club at Geneo's Pizza, 809 Francis St



A House with Good Bones

By T. Kingfisher
Tuesday, April 8
6 p.m.



Midwestern Gothic

By Scott Thomas
Tuesday, May 13
6 p.m.



The Little Lost Library

By Ellery Adams
Wednesday, April 30
7 p.m.



She Doesn't Have a Clue

By Jenny Elder Moke
Wednesday, May 21
7 p.m.

Virtual Murder, She Read: Cozy Mystery Book Discussion with Author Virtual on Zoom - R

FRIENDS FRONT ROW TUESDAY NIGHT FILM SERIES

Tuesday Nights at 6:30 p.m. at East Hills Library

Hosted by professional movie critic, Bob Shultz



April 1
Strangers on a Train
1951, PG
1 hr 41 min



April 8
Rope
1948, PG
1 hr 20 min



April 15
Notorious
1946, PG
1 hr 41 min



April 22
The Trouble with Harry
1955, PG
1 hr 39 min



April 29
Dial M for Murder
1954, PG
1 hr 45 min



May 6
Fried Green Tomatoes
1991, PG-13
2 hr 10 min



May 13
Saturday Night
2024, R
1 hr 49 min



May 20
Harvey
1950, G
1 hr 44 min



May 27
Stand by Me
1986, R
1 hr 27 min

Not all movies may be appropriate for all audiences. Viewer discretion is advised.

Registration may not open until 30 days prior to event.

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Carnegie

All Ages

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Above: Families and friends enjoyed trying to escape the Willy Wonka Escape Room at the East Hills Library.

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4/24 6 p.m.	Casual Commander Club	12
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5/10 11 a.m.	Plant Swap	12
5/12 5:30 p.m.	Bucket Gardening	12
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4/22 4 p.m.	Tricky Tuesday - Rainbow & Earth Day Craft	5
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4/26 All Day	Stuffy Sleepover - Pick Up	5
4/29 4 p.m.	Tricky Tuesday - Hot Air Balloon Craft	5
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5/13 4 p.m.	Tricky Tuesday - Baby Turtle Craft	5
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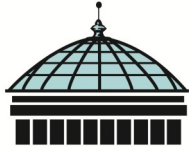
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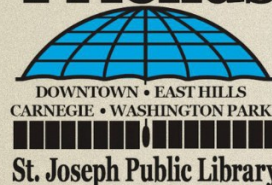
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